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dd. Wings clouded with gray, a nearly black area at the base and a paler one just before the middle, 2 interlocated hairs.

*H. nubilipennis* Hood.

cc. Width of the tube at the base less than 1.5 width at apex. (W. I.).....*H. gowdeyi* Hood.

No. 29 of our previous list (Buggist, Vol. I, No. 4, p. 71) *Anthothrips niger* Osborn, is synonymous with No. 45 *Haplothrips statices* Haliday. We have therefore given the new species No. 29.

56. *Frankliniella insularis* (Franklin). Miami, Mar. 1919.

Collected by A. C. Mason on flowers of *Citrus* and *Carissa grandiflora*. This thrips is widespread thru Mexico and the West Indies.

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### PERSONALS

Thomas H. Jones of the Bureau of Entomology, Division of Truck and Garden Crops, stationed in Louisiana, is in the state for a few weeks in connection with extension work on the melon aphids.

Mr. Fiske of the Columbia, S. C., laboratory of the U. S. Bureau of Entomology was a recent visitor at Gainesville in connection with some work on corn insects that is being carried on in cooperation with the Experiment Station. Mr. Fiske is a classmate of Mr. Geo. B. Merrill of the Plant Board.

Mr. Merrill has been passing the cigars—a young entomologist.

Miss Evelyn Osborn is a temporary assistant in the Department of Entomology of the Experiment Station. Miss Osborn is a daughter of Prof. Herbert Osborn, the noted entomologist of Ohio State University.

Farmer's Bulletin 1029, "Conserving Corn from Weevils in the Gulf Coast States", by E. A. Back, contains some data and photographs obtained by Mr. R. L. Clute here in Florida last summer.

W. S. Blatchley in Canadian Entomologist, Vol. LI, No. 3, p. 65, treats of "Some New or Scarce Coleoptera from Florida". We are able to add a new locality and two host plants to one of the species he mentions. *Tachygonus lecontei* Gyll has been taken at Gainesville from holly and prickly ash. Dec. 2 and April 18.

The Business Manager of THE BUGGIST spent ten days during last February assisting in the Better Fruit Campaign in Florida.